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C O N F I D E N T I A L PANAMA 1384

E. O. 11652 GDS
TAGS: PFOR, UNSC
SUBJECT: REACTION TO AMB SCALI' S RIGHT OF REPLY

1. PRELIMINARY REACTION TO SCALI' S RIGHT OF REPLY STATEMENT COUNTERING CUBAN FON MIN ROA' S LENGTHY DIATRIBE HAS BEEN GRATIFYING. FRIENDLIES (BRITISH, AUSTRALIANS, INDONESIANS) HAVE BEEN QUITE POSITIVE. ORTIZ DE ROZAS (ARGENTIAN) TOLD US REPLY " JUST RIGHT" ASSUMING WE PLAN NO FURTHER DIRECT REPLY. CHARACTERISTICALLY, OVINNIKOV (USSR) TOLD US HE SURPRISED WE RESPONDED AT ALL TO " MERELY HISTORICAL" CUBAN SPEECH (OVINNIKOV WAS PERHAPS ATTEMPTING TO CLAIM CREDIT FOR CUBAN RESTRAINT ON GUANTANAMO, PUERTO RICO.)

2. OUR OWN VIEW IS THAT WE HAVE ESTABLISHED CLEAR DEFINITION OF POSITION WE INTEND TO OCCUPY-- RESPONSIBILITY AND MORAL TONE COMBINED WITH HARD- HITTING REPLIES WHEN PROVOKED.
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